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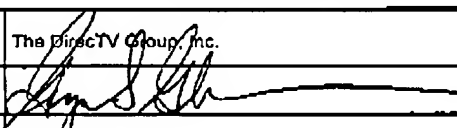
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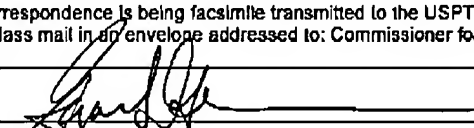
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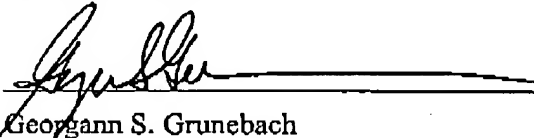
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An Examiner Interview Summary begins on page 2 of this paper.

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EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY

The undersigned would like to thank Examiner Vent for the courtesies extended in a telephonic examiner interview conducted on April 16, 2007.

The teachings of Bellamy (US 6,209,025) and Garahi (US 6,674,448) were generally discussed. The applicants and the examiner generally agreed that neither Bellamy nor Garahi described memory for storing digital video content. While no agreement was reached regarding the patentability of the claims, the undersigned believes that the interview clarified the issues in the case in an effort to advance prosecution.